

REMARKS

Examiner has rejected Claims 28, 29, and 31- 34 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) over U.S. Patent No. 1,426,239 to Witzberger ("Witzberger") in view of BE 883121 ("the '121"). Applicant first notes that the submission of art does not constitute an admission that such art is prior art to the present application.

Claims 1-26 stand previously canceled, and Claims 27, 30, 35-52 stand previously withdrawn. Claims 27-52 are currently pending. Claim 31 is amended hereby. No surrender or estoppel is affected thereby. Exemplary non-limiting support may be found at page 24, paragraph [0202] to page 26 paragraph [0208] and Figures 88A-88G and Figures 90-90J of the application as originally filed. The remarks from the prior response, incorporated by reference hereby, are considered by applicant to overcome each of the Examiner's outstanding rejections to current Claims 28, 29, and 31-34.

An early Notice of Allowance is therefore requested.

Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of this application and its early allowance.

Telephonic Interview

Applicant respectfully requests a telephonic interview between the Examiner with Applicant's attorney at a date to be fixed by mutual agreement in order to discuss the Advisory Action dated January 24, 2012 and the present amendment to expedite the prosecution of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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